

RHODE ISLAND BOARD OF REGENTS FOR ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION MEETING

**Thursday, February 3, 2010
4:00 p.m.
Cranston High School West Library
80 Metropolitan Ave
Cranston, RI 02910**

A G E N D A

1. **Commissioner's Report**
Updates and issues affecting the K-12 public education system in Rhode Island
2. **Public Remarks**
3. **Chairman's Remarks**
Updates and issues affecting the K-12 public education system in Rhode Island
4. **Approval of Minutes**
 - a) January 6, 2010 – Board of Regents' Meeting **Enclosure 4a**
 - b) January 20, 2010 – Board of Regents' Work Session **Enclosure 4b**

DISCUSSION ITEMS

5. **Testing Results** – National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) **Enclosure 5**

APPROVAL ITEMS

6. **Approval of Regulations Governing Teacher Competency in English** **Enclosure 6**

RECOMMENDATION: THAT, the Board of Regents for Elementary and Secondary Education Approve the Regulations of the Board of Regents governing teacher competency in English, as attached.

7. **Approval of Member to the Central Falls Board of Trustees** **Enclosure 7**

RECOMMENDATION: THAT, the Board of Regents for Elementary and Secondary Education Approve the Appointment of Stephanie Gonzalez to the Central Falls Board of Trustees, as presented.

7. **Agenda for Future Meetings**

The next meeting of the Board of Regents is **a work session on the High School Graduation Requirements scheduled on Thursday, February 10, 2011, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. at the Department of Education, room 501.** Additional information about the agenda is available in the Office of the Commissioner of Education, Shepard Building, 255 Westminster Street, Providence, RI 02903. The Shepard Building has been deemed accessible to those with disabilities by the State Building Commissioner. Individuals requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired or needing other accommodations, please call 401-222-8468 or RI Relay 1-800-745-5555 at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting.